The Place for Children

Enfield Public Library

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Winter 2015

Take Your Child to the Library Day

In 2011, a day was dedicated among CT librarians to promoting library use for children and families. We here at Enfield Public Library use *Take Your Child to the Library Day* on February 7th to showcase all the great things available at your library. There will be something for every age child going on that day. After sampling all of the activities on this special day, we hope that you will make bringing your child to the library a regular occurrence. Visiting the library consistently shows your children that you value reading. The library is also a great place to enjoy free family friendly activities or to relax and connect with your children, creating special memories that will last a lifetime. Please join us on *Take Your Child to the Library Day*, a celebration of libraries and all of the wonderful experiences they offer to children.

FEBRUARY 7th

9:30 am Saturday Morning Rhyme Time ages birth-5 Drop-in

11:00 am Native American Tales & Tunes with Mary Jo Maichack

9:00 am-1:00 pm Complete the library scavenger hunt
and you will be entered into a drawing for a special prize.
9:00 am to 1:00 pm Design your own bookmark.
10:00 am, 11:00 am, 12:00 pm Book raffles each hour.



CONNECTIONS

A Storytime for Children with Autism

Fridays: The 2nd and 4th Friday of every month, beginning February 13th and ending May 22nd @ 9:30 am Ages 3-6 Drop-in



Children's Programming

<u>Please note:</u> Due to space issues ALL programs will require attendees to pick up a free ticket for admittance unless otherwise specified as "drop-in."

Tickets are issued on Mondays for the following week's programs.

January 2015

- **2 ★Piggy and Elephant Party** 10:30 am Read books by Mo Willems featuring Piggy and Elephant, make puppets and much more. Space is limited. Register beginning December 22nd. Ages 4 and up.
- **12 ★Storytime Registration** 9:00 am Sign up your child for our next session of Storytime. Registration continues all week.
- **16 ★Family Movie Night** 6:30 pm Dolphin Tale 2 rated PG. Bring your own snacks. (Drop-in)
- 23 ★Lego® & Duplo® Mania 3:45 pm See what you can build in an hour. Your only limit is your imagination. (Dropin)
- **24 ★Saturday Morning Storytime** *10:00 am* Join us for stories about winter, a craft and more. Ages 3-7 (Drop-in)



- 26 *Tune in Together 10:30 am Come experience this dynamic music program that will have you and your children engaged and rockin' to the beat with Renee Coro. Sponsored by a grant from Target. Ages birth-5 (Dropin)
- **30 ★Tooth Fairy Storytime** 9:30 am Through a story, Dental Hygienist, Geraldine Provencher will share the keys to teeth care. Each child will receive a special gift. Sign-up in the children's room beginning December 12th. Ages 3-5





February 2015

7 ★Take Your Child to the Library Day
Native American Tales & Tunes with Mary Jo Maichack
11:00 am A delightful selection of Native American stories
that children & adults love. Great for the entire family!
Sponsored by a grant from Target. (Drop-in) See box to
the left for more information and schedule.

Rhyme Time

Ages birth-24 months Drop-in

Morning Rhyme Time Mondays @ 10:30 am

Evening Rhyme Time 6:30 pm

Tuesday, January 13th

Tuesday, February 10th

Tuesday, March 10th

Storytime Winter Schedule

Tuesdays: 9:30 am Time for Twos

10:30 am Terrific Threes

1:30 pm Fantastic Fours & Fives

Wednesdays: 1:30 pm Marvelous Threes &

Fours

Thursdays: 9:30 am Marvelous Threes &

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Session 1 runs Jan. 27th-March 12th Session 2 runs March 25th-May 7th

If school is canceled, storyimes are canceled. If there is a school delay, then storytimes will be held as scheduled.

PJ Storytime

6:30 pm Ages 3-7 Drop-in

Thursday, January 22nd

Thursday, February 26th

Thursday, March 26th

Don't forget your favorite stuffed animal!



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10 ★Valentine Card Making 3:45 pm Create cards to give to someone special on Valentine's Day. Ages 5 and up (Drop-in)

13 ★Family Bingo Night *6:30 pm* Bring the whole family for fun, free Bingo! (Drop-in)



14 ★Lego® Junior Maker Program *10:00 am* This a program that combines reading and "making " with Lego® Bricks. Ages 5-9 (Drop-in)



17 *Bubble Trouble 11:00 am A bubble volcano. Bubble roller coaster. A kid in a bubble? Jeff Boyer takes bubbles to the max in this one-man bubble extravaganza. Ages 4 and up

27 ★Lego® & Duplo® Mania 3:45 pm See what you can build in an hour. Your only limit is your imagination. (Dropin)

March 2015

9 *Storytime Registration *9:00 am* Sign up your child for our next session of Storytime. Registration continues all week.

20 ★Family Movie Night 6:30 pm Boxtrolls rated PG. Bring your own snacks. (Drop-in)



24 ★Snakes from Around the World *6:30 pm* Learn about snakes in Connecticut and meet snakes from around the world with *Animal Show on the Go*. Ages 5 and up





27 ★Lego® & Duplo® Mania 3:45 pm See what you can build in an hour. Your only limit is your imagination. (Dropin)

28 ★Saturday Morning Storytime *10:00 am* Join us for Spring stories and a craft. Ages 3-7 (Drop-in)

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